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**VIA ECF**

Honorable Jennifer H. Rearden  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007

Re: *Sisters of Life v. McDonald*, No. 22-cv-7529 (JHR)

Your Honor,

I am counsel for defendant James V. McDonald, Commissioner of the New York State Department of Health (“DOH”) in the above-referenced action. On behalf of the parties, we respectfully request that the Court so-order the fully-executed stipulation and proposed order of settlement attached hereto as Exhibit A, which memorializes the terms of the parties’ agreement to resolve this action without further litigation.

A Word copy of the stipulation and proposed order of settlement is being sent contemporaneously to [ReardenNYSDChambers@nysd.uscourts.gov](mailto:ReardenNYSDChambers@nysd.uscourts.gov), consistent with Section 5(J) of the Court’s Individual Rules and Practices in Civil Cases.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

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Enclosures